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Coolicge To Attend The L. M. U. Event Feb. 12

Guest of Honor at Luncheon In Interest of University, February 12.

HALL IS DEDICATED

Dedicatory Sermon Preached by Dr. John Wesley Hill Who Eulogized President Matthews.

HARROGATE, Tenn., Dec. 23—Calvin Coolidge, president of the United States will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given in the interest of Lincoln Memorial University in Washington on Lincoln's birthday, February 12. This announcement was made at the banquet opening the new community hall and gymnasium at the University on Saturday evening. The dedicatory sermon was preached by Dr. John Wesley Hill, chancellor, Sunday morning Vesper service were conducted Sunday evening in the new hall by Myers Y. Cooper of Cincinnati.

Opening the program Saturday evening, President Robert Arville Matthews said the banquet was to serve two purposes; first to do honor to the football team; and second the open the new building He announced that Frank (Tex) Turner had been re-elected captain of the football squad for 1925 This is the third year, Captain Turner has led the Varsity. Sixteen sweaters bearing the "L" were awarded to the following men: Frank Turner, Grady Pettigrew, Wade Garrett, Niles Brown, Russell Holsberry, Earl Wilson, Herbert Simpson Philip Albright, Lowell Surber, Amos Osborne, Murphy Cureton, Louis Hair, Roy Dossett, Geo. Manley, Thomas Gann, and Edward Squires Dean J. W. Morland, chairman of the athletic committee made the presentation.

The two main speakers of the evening were, Dr. John Wesley Hill and Myers Y. Cooper, prominent business man of Cincinnati and member of the board of directors of the University.

Mr. Cooper's Subject Was

"Our Best Days Are Our Tomorrows." Mr. Cooper was applauded when he stated that an architect in Cincinnati was making plans for a fine administration building, which the speaker predicted, would be begun "at no distant." The drawings, valued at $6,000, were donated by the architect, the speaker said.

Dr. Hill's speech was largely a eulogy to President Matthews for his part in obtaining the community hall. Of President Matthews, he said:

"Robert Orville Matthews is not a conversationalist, but a constructionist; he is not a talker, but a walker; he is an organizer; but above all he is a simple, retiring modest Christian gentleman." One of the hits of entertainment of the evening was a song by Doctor Hill, to which he played his own accompaniment, called "Keep in the Middle of the Road." Professor T. B Lord, representing the faculty, made a brief talk and Guy Easterly, for the student body, expressed the appreciation of the students to those who had made the community hall and gymnasium a reality.

The hall, presented a festive appearance with its decorations of Christmas grens, its festoons of red and green, and the school pennants. The football team was seated at a table in the center of the room, with the other tables parallel, running the whole length of the hall. More than 500 students, teachers and workers of the university, attended the banquet. Songs, yells, and music by the college and novelty orchestras were a large part of the evening's program.

The sermon dedicating the new building was preached Sunday morning by the chancellor, Dr. John Wesley Hill.

At the close of the sermon Doctor Matthews rose and said "I desire to dedicate this building as an expression of love and affection and appreciation to the man who made it possible, Chancellor Hill."

THE MARKETS

LOUISVILLE—Cattle one hundred steady unchanged. Hogs six hundred, evenly higher, five ten cents. Sheep fifty, steady unchanged.

POCKET FLASKS NOT UNKNOWN TO EGYPTIANS

Beautifully Engraved Pottery Pocket Flasks Were In Use 3,000 Years Ago, Message States

LONDON—Prohibition may or may not have been in effect 3,299 years ago, but recent gifts to the British museum indicate the ancient Egyptians were at least affected by a thirst for something stronger than 2 75 per cent beer.

One of the gifts is a pottery pocket flask, similar in shape to those exhibited in the windows of many jewelers today and of sufficiently large capacity to gratify the most thirsty. The other consists of fragments of a great vessel upon which is boldly painted the inscription.

"Beer Which Ignores Dreams"

The inscription, in the form of early hieroglyphics, depicts a number of jars with three strokes to indicate a number of jars; then the symbol for 'ignores'—an owl representing knowledge and a pair of hands turned down to denote 'nothing doing'—a chicken, denoting sound, and an eye, denoting wakefulness. Officials of the museum vouch for the translation of the devices.

Other archeologoical finds have indicated, according to museum officials, that beer was the great beverage of the Egyptians 3,000 years ago.

NEGRO WANTED IN KILLING

Police Expect Early Recapture of Man Accused of Murder of news "Butch"

The following taken from an exchange is of interest to the many local people who knew Sup Byrd. The body arrived in Middlesboro Sunday and the funeral was held this morning from the Bighamtown Baptist church.

Police at Paducah were hopeful today of recapturing Frank Graham, negro, sought as the slayer of Sup Byrd, 31 years old, of Louisville, news "butch" on an Illinois Central train, whose fatal stabbing Thursday night is said to have grown out of his gambling with Graham in the lavatory of the negro coach. He was found in the Paducah railroad yards Friday morning, but broke away from his captors and escaped.

Curtis Sibley, negro, New Orleans, who with two other passengers was taken from the train by police at Memphis, Tenn., is said to have told the Memphis police that Graham inflicted the fatal knife wounds

Sibley, Edward James, another negro, and Mack Williams, the latter of Louisville, were taken by Memphis police from the negro coach of the train on which Byrd was slain. Williams was released, but Sibley and James were taken to Fulton, Ky., as witnesses.

Sibley said that Graham went into the lavatory on the negro coach with Byrd and played cards for an hour. Graham had $50 before the game, according to Sibley, who told of Graham, after losing his money, borrowing a dollar from one of two women companions in the coach and then returning to the lavatory.

Sibley said that when Graham came out the second time he took him to the platform and told him he had stabbed Byrd. Graham alighted from the train at the I. C. tower at Paducah.

Sibley and James told their stories to Detective Sergts. Lawrence Fox, Thomas Smith and Frank Vaughn of the Memphis Department. All the negroes were railroad laborers and on their way to their homes, they said.

Famous Church Gets Huge Bell

COLOGNE, Dec. 23.—(AP).—Cologne Cathedral is soon to have the largest bell in the world. It will weight over 25 tons.

The bell has been ready for shipment from a factory at Apolda for over a year, but on account of the foreign occupation of the Cologne zone it was deemed impracticable before this to install it.

MAIL POUCH STOLEN AT PARIS DEPOT

ROBBERS MAKE GET AWAY BUT DISCARD POUCH WITH PART OF CONTENTS.

Keep It Secret

Railroad Officials and Federal Agents Working On Case Hoped To Apprehend Robbers Before Robbery Was Known.

PARIS, Ky., Dec. 23 (AP)—Although every effort was made to keep the robbery a secret until the robbers could be apprehended, it was announced today that a registered mail pouch was stolen Wednesday night from the Louisville and Nashville Railroad station here

The sack is said to have contained jewels, cash, checks and other valuables worth approximately sixty thousand dollars

The mail sack was singled out from a number of others which were piled on a truck awaiting the arrival of a train, the federal agents working on the case were informed The stolen pouch with a portion of its contents is reported to have been found, where it evidently was discarded by the robbers

WOMAN ROUSTS BURGLAR WITH BROOMSTICK

Chased Through Snow Intruder Makes Escape After Shooting Wife of Man He Would Rob.

OWENSBORO, Dec. 23, (AP)—When a burglar today entered the home of S. Turner Burns and whipping out two revolvers ordered Burns to throw up his hands, Mrs. Burns seized a broomstick and attacked the intruder. The burglar turned, through her through the thigh and fled In the mean time a young son of Burns loaded a shot gun which he handed his father and both gave pursuit in bare feet through the snow. The burglar, however, escaped. Mrs Burns' wounds were pronounced not serious. There is no clue to the identity of the intruder.

Eels Just the Same All The World Over

PARIS, Dec. 23—East is East and West is West, but eels are all the same according to Professor Schmidt, of Copenhagen, who, in lecturing before the Academy of Science, said the European eel and the American eel go to the same spot to reproduce.

This spot, says Professor Schmidt, is northwest of the Antilles, between the forty-eighth and sixtieth degrees of longitude, in the middle of the Atlantic ocean

Years of close study of the eel has convinced the professor that it takes the average three years to make the journey from the batching grounds to the American or European shores, and that a European eel may continue on its voyage, crossing to America or vice versa.

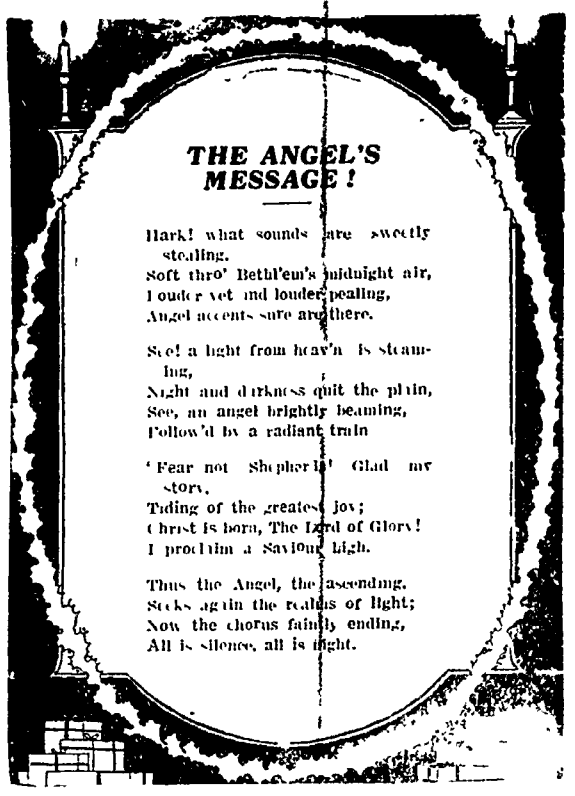
Kentucky Leads In Aiding Blind

First School Established Over 80 Years Ago, Being Eighth In Country At That Time.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 23 (AP)—Kentucky was one of first states to recognize, its obligation to the blind child, according to Susan B. Merwin, superintendent of the Kentucky School for the Blind.

Over eighty years ago, in 1842, this state established her school for the blind, being the eighth school of its kind in the country. There are now more than sixty such schools in the country in which there were trained in a year time more than six thousand blind children of whom more than 100 were in the Kentucky School for the Blind, she said.

The purpose of the state in founding the school was to give to the child with defective sight as good an education as is offered to the child with sight, according to its officials.


THE ANGEL'S MESSAGE!
Hark! what sounds are sweetly stealing,
Soft thro' Bethl'em's midnight air,
Louder yet and louder pealing,
Angel accents sure are there.
See! a light from heav'n is streaming,
Night and darkness quit the plain,
See, an angel brightly beaming,
Follow'd by a radiant train
'Fear not Shepherds! Glad my story,
Tiding of the greatest joy;
Christ is born, The Lord of Glory!
I proclaim a Saviour nigh.
Thus the Angel, the ascending,
Seeks again the realms of light;
Now the chorus faintly ending,
All is silence, all is night.

STATE GAINS 6 MILLION IN GRAIN VALUES

PRICE PLACES SHORT CORN CROP AHEAD OF RECEIPTS FOR 1923.

Big Wheat Crop

Increased Production and Increased Price On All Grains Adds In Restoring Farmers to Better Financial Basis

Kentucky farmers realized six million dollars more on their corn, wheat and oats this year than in 1923, according to the Sears- Roebuck Agricultural Foundation which reports that the national increase in grain values amount to $550,000,000 Oats alone were responsible for a gain of 1½ millions, while wheat brought farmers of this state an added 3 millions and corn an extra 1½ millions over last year, the report states

While the Kentucky corn crop for 1924 feel considerably below that of the preceding year, the better price this year brought the total income to 89. million dollars as compared the year before. The 1 million bushel increase in the wheat crop this year brought the value up to $8,250,000 as compared with $4.250,000 of 1923. The oat crop of this state this year is up to 5½ million bushels as compared to 4⅓ million the year before with the result that farmers will have taken in 4½ million dollars on this crop as compared with 3 millions the year before.

The yield per acre on corn in Kentucky, the report states, dropped to 22 7 bushels per acre as a result of unfavorable weather, but the profit per bushel to the farmer was 24 cents as compared with 19 the ear before The wet days, on the other hand, were a great help to the wheat and oats production, the former rising to 135 bushels per acre as compared with 124 the year before, and the latter to 24 from 21 in 1923. The profit per bushel of wheat this year was 36 cents where it was an even break last year and 14 cent profit in oats for the 10 cent loss of the preceding year.

The increased yield per acre of small grain and the increased price per bushel on all grains has aided materially in restoring the farmer to a better financial basis, the Foundation report concludes. The higher grain prices have resulted in higher liev stock prices and this has brought a new vitality to agriculture.

Fish Oils Deodorized

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 23.—(AP—Discovery that fish oils can be deodorized by passing hydrogen, nitrogen or carbon dioxide gas through them has been announced by Dr. H. K. Benson, professor of chemical engineering in the University of Washington. This eliminates an objection to paints made with fish oils, of which there is a large potential production in the Pacific northwest. Such paints are declared to have unusual durability.

Breed of Hens Dodge Autos

"Why Does a Hen Cross the Road" No Longer a Favorite Riddle

BLOOMSBURG, Pa— Automobile mortality" as one of the chief sources of loss to poultrymen is being fought by farmers of this region, and two protective steps are being taken. One is the removal of the chicken pens to points far distant from the road, and the other the breeding of birds that have shown under observation, a readiness to stay on their own side of the road when an automobile comes along.

Tests made with nearly 100 flocks of a certain breed revealed only a half dozen chickens which went across the road. With other breeds, there were less than a half dozen of entire flocks along the road which did not try to cross Some of the farmers are not slow to realize the difference and are turning to those breeds which 'stay put' and avoid the losses

On farms along main highways the losses to flocks from motor cars has been as high as 35 pecent In some cases a single passing automobile has killed four chickens

Plan Fowl Pest Fight

Senate Votes $100.000 Appropriation for Purpose.

WASHINGTON, Dec 23—Plans for an immediate, vigerous fight against the European fowl pest, which has paralyzed the trade in poultry in a number of states, were put under way today when the senate voted to give the department of agriculture $100,000 for prosecuting a campaign of eradication The house is expected to act on the appropriation tomorrow

Action was taken by the Senate within a few minutes after Senator Charles L. McNary, Republican, of Oregon, a member of the agriculture committee, reported a measure authorizing the appropriation. Representatives of the poultry trade and of the department of agriculture appeared before the committee and urged the necessity of action.

The funds will be used to enable the department to proceed at once with a campaign, already prepared, designed to isolate and eradicate the pest.

Actors Declare War On Radio

NEW YORK, Dec. 23—The actors equity association declared war on free radio and cabaret performances by actors under contract to theatre managers.

Frank Gillemore executive secretary said the equity council would propose that the managers who permit a radio microphone in theatre footlights shall be compelled to pay one-eighth of a week's salary for each performance broadcast. In other words a performance broadcast will be considered an extra performance.

OLD BLACKMAIL SCHEME FAILS IN NEW YORK

YOUTH DEMANDS MONEY BUT IS CARELESS ABOUT RECOGNIZING DETECTIVES

70 Thousand Asked

Mrs. Vanderbilt and Walter Rhinelander Said to Have Received Threatening Letters, Demanding Money.

NEW YORK. Dec. 23. (AP)—Another attempt at blackmail has failed Bern Sirro, a youth of twenty who took this method of 'getting rich quick' may spend his Christmas in jail instead of having seventy thousand dollars to spend as he anticipated.

Sirro failed to recognize the detectives who were loitering in Battery park, disguised as loafers and in consequence he was arrested after he picked up the package supposed to contain the money and which had been left in accordance to his directions.

The charges against Sirro are, attempted blackmail and extortion. It is stated he wrote letters to Mrs W. K. Vanderbilt and Philip Rinelander threatening violence would be used if they did not met his demands for money.

It is said Mrs Vanderbilt was asked for the neat sum of fifty thousand, but Sirro was willing to let Rhinelander off with a meager twenty thousand.

Careful instructions were given in the letters as to where the money was to be left, and how wrapped The letters also gave warning not to place explosives in the pactages with the money, they were commanded to surrender.

MURDER TRIAL NEARING END

Lawrence Hight and Mrs. Sweetin To Know Their Fate Soon.

MOUNT VERNON, Ill., Dec. 23. (AP)—The hearing of the evidence in the joint trial of Lawrence Hight, former clergyman and Mrs Elsie Sweetin, for the alleged poisoning and murder of her husband, Wilford Sweetin, was concluded at noon today.

Each side was alloted four hours for argument. The judge ordered a night session so the case could go to the jury tonight.

Howard Home Burns Today

The residence of E. G. Howard, located near the golf links, burned this morning about one o'clock. The house and furnature are said to be a total loss. Mrs. Howard, who was home alone at the time, suffered greatly from shock and exposure and is cared for at the home of Mrs. Mary Simpson. It is not known how the fire started. When Mrs. Howard awakened the entire house seemed to be on fire and all she had time to save was a coat and dress as she made her way to safety.

Crops Worth Many Billions

Total Value Is $753,013,000 More Than In 1923 Despite Smaller Acreage.

WASHINGTON, Dec 23—This year's harvest of important farm crops, the highest priced in five years though not the greatest in volumes of products, was valued at $9,479,902,000 today by the department of agriculture.

Better prices than last year placed the value $753,013,00 0high er than last year when the total as revised, was $8,726 889,000 and $1,663,882,000 higher than in 1922, when they aggregated $7,816,020,000.

The combined acreage of the principal farm crops was smaller this year than last, there having been a total of 355,210,400 acres as compared with 355,594,730 in 1923

Both the spring and winter wheat crops were extremely satisfactory. Corn maintained its rank as king of crops, and although production was 600,000,000 bushels less than last year, its value was $188,000,000 more than the 1923 crop.

Another state governed by woman is the state of matrimony.

Chicken Plague Causes Gotham To Go Fowlless

KENTUCKY LAD IS REWARDED ON PRIZE CALF

Over Three Hundred Head Baby Beeves Exhibited By Kentucky Boys and Girls; Garrard County Sending 53 Head

LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 23 (AP)—James Robinson, the Boyle county calf club boy who won the grand championship at the recent Bourbon Stock Yards Fat Stock Show, where more than 1,000 head of stock were exhibited, received about $1,000 from the sale of his calf and prizes won on it.

The grand champion carload of the show was owned by the Garrard county boys' and girls' "baby" beef club

More than 50 carloads were exhibited, eighteen of which were owned by boys' and girls' clubs. Mr Dillion paid 16 cents a pound for the grand champion carload.

Kentucky club boys and girls exhibited 371 head of "baby" beeves, and defeated a large showing of heavy cattle from Kentucky and Tennessee for the grand championships, both in individual steers and carloads. Boys and girls in Garrard county alone exhibited 53 head This was the second year that Garrard county club won the carload grand championship of the show

Monkeys Resent Gland Removal

LONG BEACH, Cal, Dec. 23—Police today oped to round up the third trio of monkeys which escaped from the proprietor of a gland laboratory here during the week and which were hunted today by squads of patrolmen hook and ladder men from the fire department and a crew of "trouble shooters" from the electric light company.

One of the apes bit a woman on the arm adding to the general nervousness in neighborhoods where the animals were supposed to be hiding. Two of the escaped trio were captured yesterday one after he had allowed himself to be trapped in the bathroom of a home and the other after he bumped into a high voltage wire while leading firemen a merry chase up and down telephone poles.

Chickens As Box Office Receipts

Opera Singer Receives Inconvenient Currency.

Economists tell learnedly, why money makes the commercial world go round, but a Parisian opera singer of a decade ago learned the lesson in one classic experience. She was determined to tour the world thoroughly and she stopped over in the Society islands, where her manager contracted to have her sing for one-third the recipts. Her share of the "box office" was 3 pigs, 22 turkeys, 44 chickens, 5,000 cocoanuts and an uncomputed quantity of bananas and oranges She couldn't convert her proceeds, the natives had no money. She fed the fruit to the animals and donated her barnyard to the community when she sailed away.

Baby Story Not True

A story is being circulated on the strets this morning that a tiny baby was left in the window of the Watson Salvage store yesterday, deserted by its mother and that it is now being cared for by the Salvation Army.

This story is denied both at the store and at Salvation Army headquarters. "That story is new to me, and I haven't seen any such baby" is the statement made by the Army Captains wife when seen this morning. At the Watson store one of the clerks stated that a mother who was shopping in the store laid her baby which was asleep among the dolles in the window, while she looked over the Christmas gifts and other offerings in the store. Some one seeing the baby there, picked it up and endilled it to them asking whose baby it was, which gave rise to the story that the mother had deserted it.

450,000 Pounds of Prospective Christmas Dinner Is Shipped Back West From New York.

MERCHANTS ASSIST

879 Carloads of Live Fowls Used Last Year For Jewish and Italian Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23—Fear of the 'chicken plague" prevalent in certain midwestern states, has so intimidated the housewives of New York that all railroads serving this city today set up a solid embargo against shipment of live turkeys, chickens, ducks and geese.

The railroads acted after a host of inspectors representing federal state and civic agencies of health had rejected many cars of poultry which arrived yesterday. Commission merchants and carriers tonight decided to take steps to have an embargo on fowls as rigid as that declared today by the railroads.

"There will be no live fowls of any kind on the market in New York City for the holidays," said the heads of the Live Poultry Merchants' association. "There is no prospect that the fears of the housewives can be allayed and order restored in time for the Christmas and New Year's trade."

Twenty-five carloads of chickens—approximately 450,000 pounds or nearly 100,000 fowls—were shipped westward today because they had failed to pass inspection at New Jersey terminals, or because demurrage, shrinkage, cost of feeding and the demoralized state of the market promised a total loss to the receiver who didn't took to dispose of them in New York.

During the three weeks' holiday beginning December 15, last year New York absorbed 879 carloads of live chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese—3,500,000 fowls, or about 15,900,000 pounds. At the same time the city absorbed 21,000,000 pounds of dressed poultry and an unrecorded number of millions of pounds of cold storage fowls.

Commission men believed today that unless the wave of apprehension, which already has paralyzed the large Jewish and the smaller Italian market, can be stemmed this holiday trade in 1924 will be reduced to virtually nothing.

Tubercolusis Seals At Drug Stores

The school children have been selling the Christmas Tuberculosis Seals but now that the vacation period has arrived the sales will be conducted through the local drug stores.

New Dirigible Being Planned

WASHINGTON—Navy air experts have disclosed to congress plans for a 6,000,000 cubic feet capacity airship which would dwarf the 2,600,000 capacity Los Angeles and be much larger than the two new five million capacity ships ordered by the British government for commercial use between England and Australia.

Such a ship could carry 22 tons of "pay load" Rear-Admiral Moffett, chief of the naval air service, told a house committee, it was disclosed in reports of the hearings made public today. On a schedule of eighty single crossings between New York and London, he added, the ship would show an estimated profit of $4,856,000 a year.

Heirs Find New Records

New record evidence has been secured by the heirs to the [illegible] track of land mentioned in the [illegible] per lying in Claiborne county [illegible] which will if secured amount to a large sum of money for [illegible] The following heirs of [illegible] are: Mrs. R. M. Fry, [illegible] Mayers of the West [illegible] Thomas and Jessie [illegible] widow of Jeff Lovelady, [illegible] ford of the Bank and [illegible] relatives in Bell.

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LOVE ONE ANOTHER

Have you considered how necessary is the sunlight, how much one depends on fresh air for his life, how regularly one must have food and drink in order to be normal, and how a person must maintain a certain temperature of the body to live?

Have you considered how much you depend on other human beings around you for mental and spiritual stimulant and nourishment. How much one may contribute to another to stimulate a healthy, strong normal, happy mental and spiritual balance and poise?

For one to live alone in this world would be madness or a lifeless death, but intelligent, moral, Christian fellowship makes life a paradise.

Absorb only the best from those around you and give only the best to those near you.

If you gather honey, you can give honey, and if you dispense music you are likely to receive an echo of music in return.

Christ gave the world the greatest human formula ever received by infinite wisdom when He said, "Love one another."

HUNT'S DAILY LETTER

BY HARRY B. HUNT

WASHINGTON—A new battle for peace will be fought in Washington, January 18 to 21, when a conference of women's organizations called by Mrs Carrie Chapman Catt convenes to consider, "The Cause and Cure of War."

Members of the Post War Council, an anti-pacifist organization within he ranks of the National Council of Women, which fears the Catt conference may be a "peace-at-any price" move sponsoring disarmament, or rigid reduction of armaments, will be on hand to combat any and all such proposals.

Members of this latter organization profess to see in the coming meeting a shadow of the influence of the International League of Peace and Freedom, which is to the man even greater bugaboo than the League of Nations is to Hiram Johnson or Jim Reed.

They fear "subversive propaganda," sponsored by those who wish this nation no good, which would lead us to disarm ourselves obtensibly in the interests of peace but actually only to place us at the mercy of our enemies

LEADING the ladies who see all sorts of spooky specters in the background at the coming conference, and who will attempt to reveal them as real dangers to be armed against, is Mrs. Havilund Lund, formerly on the woman's section of the Republican committee and later a special representative of President Harding in the Interior Department.

Mrs. Lund, it develops, was the author of an anonymous article in Hen Ford's Deanborn Independent, last March, in which it was charged that the Bolsheviks have been making wholesale use of our women's clubs for the spread of their pernicious doctrines.

This article, which created quite a to-do in women's club circles, sought to show how the "interlocking directorates" of many women's organizations led circuitously to the door of the dreadful and dreaded "International League."

"THE International brains and pocketbook backing the pacifict movement," says Mrs. Lund, "have a clear conception of woman phychology. The enemy realizes that women through their organizations by a few women leaders in these organizations.

"The enemy see in women the 'great propaganda carriers of the world.' Hence they concern themselves with the business of fortifying and financing the subversive movement."

While not so directly stated, those on the others side wonder at the time and energy devoted by Mrs. Lund, who has been an active worker in congressional circles for many years, in fighting the Wars."

Is she, they ask, either wittingly or unwittingly, playing the game of the armament makers just as she alleges they are, wittingly or unwittingly, playing into the hands of the bally Bolsheviki.

Either way, there is bound to be more war before there is peace, and some of the fighting is scheduled for Washington next month.

THE shape of a man's head doesn't denote anything as to what is inside of it.

This is the conclusion of Ales Hrdlicka, Uncle Sam's leading anthropologist, who has spent his life studying skulls of all sorts and shapes, from those of Neandersthal man to those of modern science.

Which, officially, puts Uncle Sam on record as holding no brief for or belief in phrenology or phrenologists

"Phrenology," says Mrdlicka, "is a pure fake which has been built into a so-called science through artificialitry, fancy and mistaken observations."

THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY

THEM REFORMERS WERE CHASED OUT OF HOOTSTOWN
WHUTS TH FUSS
HOLD ER NEVIT SHE'S ARTAPIN'
SHOES
THESE SPEED DEMONS HAVE GOT TO BE CURBED BY A NEW LAW
I AIN'T NEVER RID ONE—AND I AIN'T NEVER GOIN' TO BUT I GUESS THEY OUGHTER BE REFORMED OR SOMETHING
NOW THAT YOU'RE HEARTILY IN FAVOR OF ABOLISHING BICYCLES SIGN THIS PETITION"
YOU SAY—WE'VE GOT TO PUT OUR SHOULDER TO TH' WHEEL AND HELP?
NO-NO—IF THEY TAKE AWAY MY BICYCLES I'M GOIN' TO YELP!
THE CIVIC REFORM AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY HAVING LOST THEIR FIGHT TO REMOVE THE HITCHING RAILS FROM MAIN STREET, ARE NOW OUT FIGHTING FOR A NEW BICYCLE LAW
STANLEY

ANOTHER FACT

THAT'S HIM—
HE JUMPS ON ME AND WALLOPS ME EVERY CHANCE HE GETS AND TAKES AWAY ALMOST EVERYTHING I HAVE
ECONOMIC INSTABILITY
FARMER

A SINGING CHRISTMAS

AN angel sang the first Christmas carol. Down through the ages has come that song, lifting a billion human hearts on Christmas Eve. And love—love greater even than human love—Peace—Good Will.

The rapture of the children—the pure, the white-souled children—is the deepest. It is the moment on earth when the gates of the year swing back when we see again, shining from the dawn of time, the old ideals. Somehow life smooths out—on Christmas eve. And love—love greater than even human love—creeps in and suddenly is ablaze about us!

And in that spirit of unselfishness—of deepest brotherhood our Christmas songs have been born. An unselfish promiseful Christmas full of thoughts for others is what our carols have come to represent.

LET'S KEEP CHRISTMAS SINGING AS WE GO. LET CHRISTMAS EVE AND THE DAY BE RINGING WITH OUR SONG THAT THE LONELY ONES MAY HEAR.

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Mankind The Children of God

The earth has grown old with its burden of care
But at Christmas it always is young;
The heart of the jewe lburns lustrous and fair,
And its soul full of music breaks forth on the air,
When the song of the angel is sung.

It is coming, old earth, it is coming tonight!
On the snowflakes that cover thy sod
The feet of the Christ-Child fall gentle and white,
And the voice of the Christ-Child tells out with delight
That mankind are the children of God.

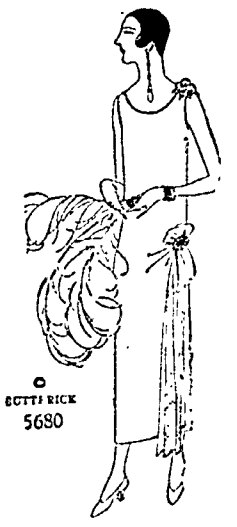
The feet of the humblest may walk in the field
Where the feet of the holiest have trod,
This, this is the marvel to mortals revealed
When the silvery trumpets of Christmas have pealed,
That mankind are the children of God.

An Evening Song

The cun had set. Night was falling, as it does in Germuda, like a curtain. A catbird, down in the tall cedars, began to sing his own lullaby. Oh, so sweet his song! So different from his startled cat-like cry. Like trills and turns ending in clear staccato notes, a slur here and there, in all a complete melody with perfect harmony. He repeated it several times before he paused, then softly he started a coda in a mllow minor key. Slower and slower he sang until he nodded and dreamed over the last strain. The listener waited, with a vision of the drooping head being jerked up, as one late drowsy note came and the little singer tucked his head under his wing and went to sleep at peace with all the world.

FASHIONS & FOIBLES

by Shirley Sharon



With clothes so easy to make perfectly and so easy to wear with elegance, there is really no excuse today for women not being well dressed.

KATHLEEN NORRIS in her own lifestoty published recently said that it was an unwritten rule that she was not to be disturbed at her work unless any or all of the children in the family fell in any or all of the wells. Short of a severe domestic crisis there is no excuse today for any woman not having the right frock for the right place. What could be simpler than an evening gown, seamed at the shoulder and under the arm, with no sleeves and no trimming save its own sash and the flower at the neck and yet with all the elegance the new crepe faille and silk crepe of a French gown? Crepe satin, make very useful dresses.

PASTOR EASILY SUPREME

Three small boys were talking about their fathers. The son of a writer said:

"My father just writes a few words on a piece of paper and gets $25 for it."

"Oh," said the lawyer's son, "my daddy just sits in a room and tells people what to do, and they give him $50 for it."

"That's nothing," said the parson's son. "My dad gets up in the pulpit, preaches for a few minutes, and when he's finished it takes eight men to carry the money to the vestry."

PRIZE TURKEY ON WAY

WASHINGTON.—The prize turkey of the Rocky Mountain region arrived to make a feast for President Coolidge Christmas Day. C. M. Whitlow, of the Riverton (Wyo.) Lions Club, is shipping the bird to the White House.

As to density of population, it seems very hard for the dove and stork to co-operate.

RADIO PROGRAM

Program for Dec. 23.

WSB—Atlanta Journal (429) 8 quartet; 10:15 orchestra.

WEEI—Boston (303) 6 Big Brother club; 6:30 Santa Claus; 6:45 boy soprano; 7 choir; 8 Everready hour; 9 from WEAF.

WGR—Buffalo (319) 7 concert.

KYW—Chicago (536) 6:35 Uncle Bob; 7 concert; 7:30 stage review; 8 musical; 8:20 speeches; 8:50 musical; 10 at home.

WGN—Chicago Tribune (370) 6 organ; 6:30 concert; 8 singing society; 10 jazz.

WLS—Chicago (345) 6:30 organ; 7 9:30 music, farm program; 10:10-12 entertainers; 12 organ; orchestra.

WMAQ—Chicago News (447.5) 6 organ 6:30 orchestra; 8 book review; 8:20 travel talk; 8:40 talk; 8:50 Chicago University; 9:15 choir

WJAX—Cleveland News (390) 6:30 Santa Claus; 7 entertainment.

WLW—Cincinnati (423) 10-12 music.

WFAA—Dallas News (476) 8:30 Christmas music; 11 organist.

WWJ—Detroit News (513) 6 News orchestra; soprano, contralto.

WBAP—Ft. Worth Star Telegram (476) 7:30 musical; 9:30 organ concert, poetry.

KNX—Hollywood (337) 8 music; 10 features; 11 orchestra.

WDAF—Kansas City Star (411) 6:7 School of the Air; 11:45-1 Nighthawks.

KHJ—Los Angeles Times (395) 8 concert; 8:30 children; 10 features; 12 orchestra.

WHAS—Louisville Times (400) 7:30 concert.

WMC—Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8 bedtime; 8:30 classical program; 11 midnight frolic.

WCCO—Minneapolis St. Paul (417) 6:15 feet talk; 6:30 orchestra.

CKAC—Montreal (425) 6:30 ensemble; 7:30 entertainment; 9:30 orchestra.

WOR—Newark (405) 6:15 orchestra.

WEAF—New York (492) 6 orchestra; 7 quartet; 7:30 Gold Dust twins; 8 Everyready hour; 9 orchestra.

WJY—New York (405) 6:30 soloists; 7 trio; 7:15 talk; 8 address; 8:25 organ; 9:10 baritone, soprano.

WJZ—New York (455) 6 "dogs"; 6:55 talk; 7:30 quartet; 7:45 talk; 8 navy band; 9 Brunswick hour; 10 orchestra.

KGO—Oakland (312) 6 orchestra; 10 drama; 12 dance, soloists.

WOAW—Omaha (526) 6 Advice to Lovelorn; 6:25 program; 9 concert.

WFI—Philadelphia (395) 6 talk; 7:30 talk; 8 concert; 9 orchestra.

WCAE—Pittsburgh (462) 6:30 Uncle Kaybee; 6:45 special; 7:30 concert; 8 concert; 9 orchestra.

KGW—Portland Oregonian (492) 7 Uncle Dave; 10 agricultural lecture; 10:30 concert; 12 orchestra.

WKAQ—Porto Rico (360) 7-8:30 jazz band.

KPO—San Francisco (423) 6:30 Big Brother; 9 orchestra; 10 choir; 12 band.

WGY—Schenectady (380) 6:45 drama, instrumental; talk; 9 Brunswick hour; 10:20 organ.

KFOA—Seattle (455) 8 concert; 8:45 program; 10:30 musical; 12:05 orchestra.

WBZ—Springfield (337) 6:10 story; 6:15 lecture; 7:30 concert; 10:30 organ.

KSD—St. Louis Post Dispatch (546) 6 orchestra; 8:15 glee club, mandolins.

CHRISTMAS CANDY

Butter Creams

One-half cup fondant, 2 tablespoons butter, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla.

Work butter into fondant. Add vanilla and beat until like heavy cream. Pack in a covered bowl and let stand in a cold place until firm. Form into marbles and let stand until dry, about an hour. Dip in chocolate and put in a cold place to harden.

To coat with chocolate requires some practice but is worth while for cream candies.

Melt confectioner's dipping chocolate over hot, not boiling water. While chocolate is melting stir in two dessertspoons of olive oil to one pound of chocolate. Stir with a fork. When chocolate is melted and the oil is blended, pour half of it into a shallow bowl to cool. Work with the fingers to keep chocolate smooth. When cool, but soft and perfectly smooth, roll the prepared center in the chocolate and drop on platters covered with paraffin paper. As the chocolate hardens add warm chocolate, enough to soften, working it smooth with the fingers.

The chocolate must be cool enough not to melt the centers but soft and smooth to make perfect coating.

Does He Mean Golf Stockings

What this country needs is socks for 10,00 miles.—Owensboro Messenger.

"A thing done twice is an embryo habit." Let's pray for that second tax cut.

No country is doomed until its pride begins to feed exclusively on its past.

MERRY XMAS TO EVERYBODY

We expect to celebrate Christmas as the occasion demands, therefore, we will not be open for business Thursday, December 25th, 1924.

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NEWS FROM THREE STATES

KENTUCKY

BARBOURVILLE—One of the best girls' teams ever developed at Union College is expected to be turned out this year by Coach Josh Faulkner Coach Faulkner has been holding pratice for several weeks, and the girls are showing excellent form in handling the ball and shooting goals

The Union girls annexed their first game by defeating Lonyton High school 21 to 1 that city The game was hard fought through out but the Union girls proved to be the more accurate in the matter of hitting the net

CORBIN—The London to Corbin road, which has been under construction this summer and fall was opened to all travel Wednesday, for the first time since the work was begun A maintenance crew is expected to keep in condition the last mile to Corbin which has not been completed

VIRGINIA

NORTON—Through the efforts of Judge J B Poe Mayor of Norton, the 1925 annual conference of the Welfare Board of Virginia has been invited for Norton in May

Three or four hundred will attend most of the major executive officials They will come not only from all over Virginia but from other states as well

Addresses will be made by a number of prominent social workers from other state particularly New York

It will be the first time a conference of this organization has been held in Southwest Virginia since 1915, when it was held at Radford

NORTON—Judge W H Ford prominent Wise county attorney, who was found dead in Welch W Va, hotel last Monday morning was buried Tuesday in Wise

Judge Bond had been to Welch with a client M V N Just a transaction record and Noel It Judge Bond stated several had relatives there with the county with whom he wanted to spend the night It was about nine o'clock when he left Mr Bond It is supposed that Mr Bond died soon afterwards When discovered Mr Bond was sitting in a chair with his head supported by his hand He had not taken off his overcoat When Mr Noe asked for him Monday morning the hotel porter went up to the room to call Mr Bond and it was then he was found

According to Noe, Judge Bond had not been sick on the trip, although he had seemed to doze a great deal while on the train They had talked of the business matter which was taking them to Welch

Judge Bond was one time one of the ablest lawyers in Southwest Virginia In the preparation of cases he exhibited exceptional legal skill For a number of years he was associated in the law practice with Senator R P Bruce, and this firm was one of the most able of this part of the state

NORTON—George H Esser was reelected president of the Norton Kiwanis Club at its weekly meeting Tuesday noon, the vote being unanimous There was no opposition

President Esser read a report of the activities of the club for the past year

An amazing amount of work had been accomplished

Among the achievements referred to in his report were the following Free parcel post delivery construction of the concrete road through West Norton, support of the town bond issue the public health laboratory, the securing of athletic grounds for the school, support of the Norton band and assistance in having a band stand erected and the putting over of the all summers program for the benefit of the underprivileged child fund, which program consisted of a Mardi Gras, an automobile and industrial show Fourth of July events the All Aboard play, and a football game between Pine Hill College and Kings College of Bristol

Reference to mention of the Bristol was much applauded

In concluding his report he asked even greater cooperation on the part of the members of the club for the year 1925 and said he hoped there would be no destructive criticism offered He stressed the importance of constructive criticism which is in keeping with the Kiwanis slogan We Build

ROSE HILL

Hotel Coleman has a new annex consisting of 6 rooms which almost completed

Leonard Bales won a thoroughbred hound for writing the best hunting story The story was published in the Cincinnati Post The dog is worth $150

Miss Elizabeth Smith arrived home Friday from Athens, Tenn, where she has been attending school

M B Jennings was greeting friends here Saturday He has been attending school at Emory, Ga

The Epworth League was disappointed in not being able to give their play entitled "Old Fashioned Mother" at Hubbard Springs, Saturday night They hope to be able to give it later

Miss Adelia Lee McIlroy arrived home Saturday night from Sayre college, Ky, accompanied by her aunt Miss Mary E McIlroy

Mr and Mrs S D N Anderson have moved to the old parsonage property from the Shirley residence

Mr Harold McLemore who has been attending University Virginia is spending the holidays with his parents at Hotel Coleman

Mrs Emma Ford and Mrs I W Stewart are attending quarterly meetings at Wesley Chapel

Rev and Mrs I S Anderson leave Monday for Ewing, where they will spend Christmas holidays

W C Fuller contemplates improving

Miss Ruby Bales and Mrs W W Bales were shopping in Middlesboro Saturday

JONESVILLE

The following college students have come home to spend Christmas holidays Messers Rhea Owen, and Earl Hyatt, Bob Parrish Ben Swell, Edith Orr, Clyde Russell, John and Dick Richmond and Misses Elizabeth Gibson and Clara Cook

Messrs, Cale Gibson and Gordon Davidson Misses Adelle Gibson, Zelma and Hattie Gilley and Mrs James F Gilley motored over to Stickleville last Thursday night where they enjoyed a musical program

The Hi Y Club met last Friday night with Estelle McClure Refreshments were served Much interest was shown in the club work

Prof A R Barham is spending holidays in Roanoke and Bristol

The Ladies Missionary Society met Wednesday at the church for the last time before Christmas

Mr and Mrs I C Russell motored over to Pennington Gap to do some Christmas shopping Saturday

Miss Cora Hyatt left Saturday for Washington where she will spend two or three months with her brother Capt C K Hyatt

Mrs Morgan left for Bristol, where she will spend a few days with Mrs Bob Pennington.

Elk Knob High School defeated Flatwoods High School on Jonesville grounds Saturday Elk Knob winning

Ewing High and Dryden played the former winning by a large majority

TENNESSEE

MORRISTOWN— The Morristown Produce and Ice Company today received a telegram from Samuel Werner, of New York relative to the hen hens placed in five poultry in the various Eastern states The restrictions are due to a new and uncontrolled disease which has appeared in the middlewest However, there have been no signs of the disease in East Tennessee, but the farmers are advised to keep their poultry until the situation clears up and the demand increases

The Younger Generation

The old fashioned boy who used to get an Ingersoll watch for Christmas now has a son who wouldn't be satisfied with a wholesale jewelry store—Elizabethtown News

The dealers not like some of their patrons The press on

A Student Of Psychology

The preacher who says that a few pews of good looking young women will draw young men to church evidently has observed the operation of cause and effect Sturgis News Democrat

DAILY NEWS WANT ADS PAY

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NOT EVEN A MOUSE

Who is there that is not familiar with this old Christmas time poem May it be your privilege to read it this year to a happy bunch of youngsters in a home that is your very own The Peoples Building and Loan Association offers its congratulations and well wishes to the many for whom they have made this possible A Savings Account with a Building and Loan Association is usually the first step toward home ownership If you own your home, your deposits provide funds to help your neighbor to the same happy position

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WANTED Four drawer oak filing cabinet—Call 192 12 6tf

WANTED—To rent Business woman desires to rent a furnished flat of at least four rooms (two bedrooms) for mother and self Steam heat desirable Notify News office

FOR SALE

RUBBER STAMPS—At the News office

FOR SALE—Used truck, 2 ton capacity Carton's Garage. tf.

FOR SALE—Mahogany living room suite, rugs, baby carriage Call 602J 12-23tf.

FOR SALE—Mahogany living room suite; mahogany bedroom suite; Walnut dining suite; Majestic range; rugs; baby carriage. Other household furnishings. Party leaving town Call 602J. 12-11tf.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment of four rooms with bath. Citizens Bank building, Phone 323. 11-tf

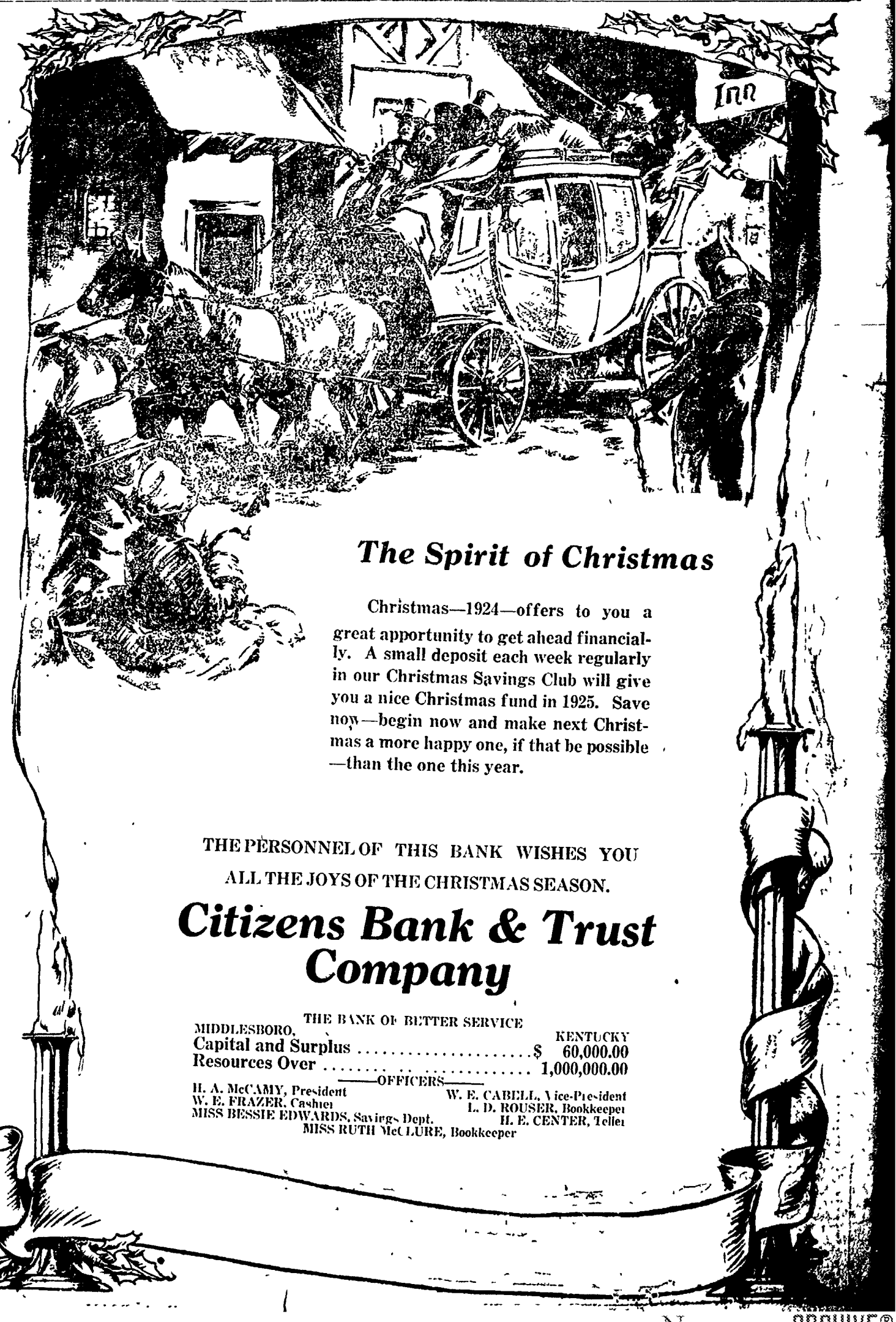
ROOMS—Rooms and bath for rent Call 311, or see H D Williamson, Exeter. 12-26*

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED—Saturday night One brown and white Collie dog; male; wearing collar Finder please call 610 12-27

MOISTEN BRUSHES

If you are putting away paint brushes for an indefinite period, moisten them with paraffin oil.



The Spirit of Christmas

Christmas—1924—offers to you a great apportunity to get ahead financially. A small deposit each week regularly in our Christmas Savings Club will give you a nice Christmas fund in 1925. Save now—begin now and make next Christmas a more happy one, if that be possible —than the one this year.

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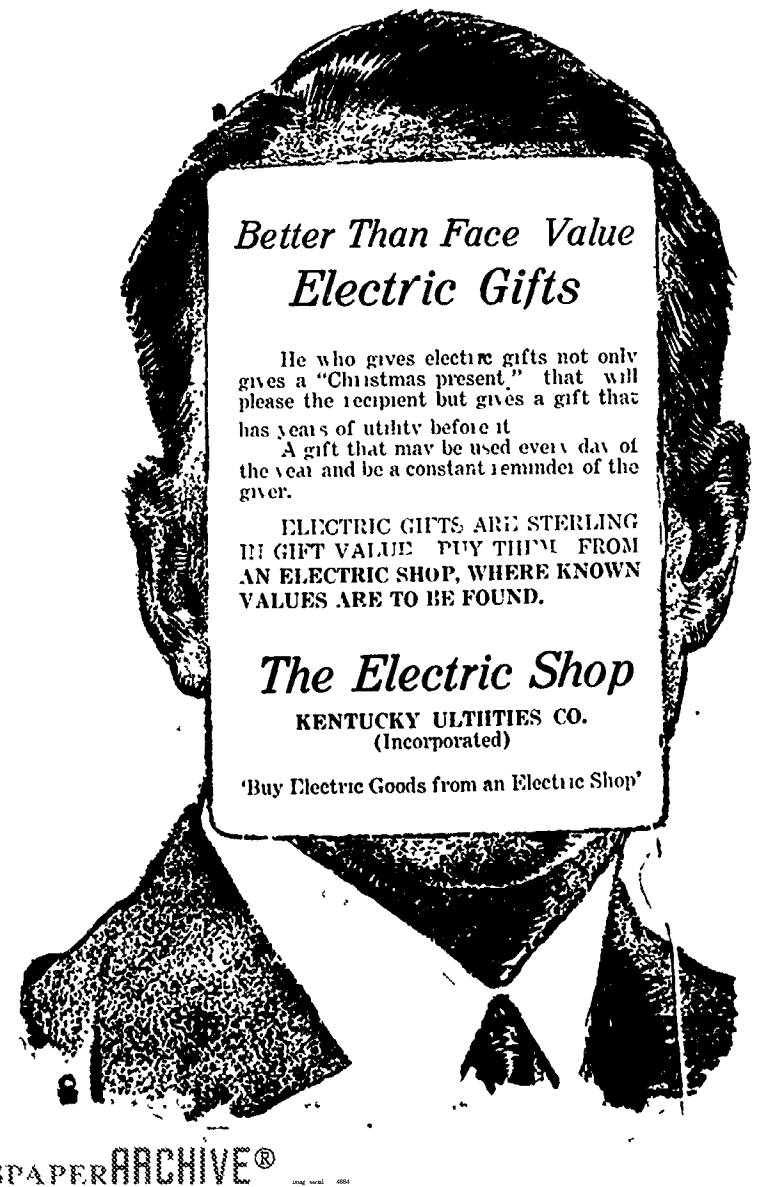

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Middlesboro Choral Club Rehearsal

There was a well attended rehearsal last night at the Carnegie Library of the Middlesboro Choral Club.

This is the last rehearsal until Monday night January 5, 1925, at 7:00 o'clock in the Carnegie Library, at which time a full attendance of the membership of the club is expected.

Cristmas Cantata .. Tonight

The Christmas Cantata, THE WORD MADE FLESH, will be rendered tonight at eight o'clock at the Presbyterian Church, by the enlarged choir of that church, under the direction of Miss Rhea Venner. There will be no charge. This is an exceptionally melodious Cantata, with incidental solos, duets, quartettes, choruses by womens' voices and for mixed voices. The soloists are, Mrs. Edward Yeager, soprano; Miss Rhea Venner, mezzo-soprano; Mr. Will Hoe, baritone. Anyone who enjoys good music will miss something by not being present tonight. Forty five minutes is the time it takes to render this cantata.

Mrs. Rash Honor Her Sister With Tea

Mrs. Warren P. Rash entertained with a small tea yesterday afternoon at her home on Greenwood Road in honor of her sister, Miss Helen Burch of Brookfield, Mo., who is her guest for the holidays. Mrs. R. H. Bentley of Jefferson City, Tenn., was also in the receiving line. Mrs. F. M. Gordon poured tea and Misses Lucile Short, Laura Gunn, Margaret Sampson and Adan Ralston served the guests, while Mrs. A. M. Kinnaird, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. J. T. Alderson, Mrs. F. D. Hart, Jr., Mrs. W. E. Gunn and Miss Margaret Gunn assisted in receiving. The house was decorated in holly, and Christmas favors were a feature.

K. K. K. WOMEN PRESENT GIFTS

A committee of twenty-three robed women of the Ku Klux Klan marched in a body from their hall on East Cumberland avenue to the Middlesboro View Baptist church last Saturday evening and presented Rev. Bolton, pastor of the church and Evangelist Earnest T. Crawford, each with a purse containing $20 as a slight token for their service.

A short program consisting of song and prayer was rendered and the women marched out as they had come.

LOCALS

St. Mary's Episcopal church, will have a short service Christmas morning at 10:00 a. m. All members are urged to attend and a cordial invitation to all to attend this service.

Mrs. F. F. Lovelace Cumberland ave. is invited to attend the theatre on Tuesday night as the guest of The News. Will Mrs. Lovelace please call the News office for the tickets.

Misses Margaret Sampson and Lucile Short were in Pineville last night visiting Miss Florence Samuels. They attended the dance which was given by Miss Mary Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Collier.

Give her a Royal Cleaner for Christmas.—Call Jones at K. U.

Billie Bohannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bohannon, who was seriously injured in a fall Sunday afternoon, is reported to be slightly improved this morning.

There will be a Christmas tree and treat for all of the Sunday school children of the Presbyterian church, in the Sunday school room, of this church, Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock. This will take the place of the usual mid-week prayer service.

Robert Hensley of Montana is expected to spend Christmas with his sister Mollie Estes of Middlesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Steril Estes and family of Tazewell are expected to spend Christmas day with their son Oscar Estes in town.

Oliver Hoyt of Philadelphia is in town to spend the holidays with his wife who is visiting her parents, Mayor and Mrs. J. H. Keesney on Arthur Heights.

Give her a Royal Cleaner for Christmas.—Call Jones at K. U.

Miss Lizzie Short of Lexington will arrive tonight to spend the holidays with her mother Mrs. S. R. Short on Englewood Road.

Mrs. Sidney Allen, of Chevrolet is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Hinks. Mr. Allen will arrive tonight for the Christmas holidays.

Captain J. Bethurum military instructor at the University of Kentucky, in Lexington, is in town to be with his parents, Judge and Mrs. B. J. Bethurum during the holiday season.

Marshall Rowlett and family of Rose Hill were in town Monday on a shopping trip.

Hoy Wright of Wheeler, Virginia was in town today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Moyers of Speedwell, Tenn., spent Monday in the city shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Tukal Williams and Mr. Andy Moyers spent Sunday in Goin, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lambert spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Lambert's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lingar on Powell's river.

Miss Lillian Haynes has accepted a position at the Dick & Jaynes Variety store.

Mr. Oscar Leonard of San Francisco, California, is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. L. B. Bomar, on East Cumberland Ave.

Give her a Royal Cleaner for Christmas.—Call Jones at K. U.

Miss Lucy Bomar who has been visiting her sister, who has been ill at her home at Benham, Kentucky, will return home tonight.

Misses Ethel and Marie Wender and Miss Leola Wilson of Jellico, Tenn., will spend the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ike Ginsburg.

Mr. Harry Woolfe, of Cincinnati will spend the holidays in the city with friends.

Mrs. Hattie Gray is ill at her home on 17th street.

Mr. G. L. Duncan of Cincinnati is in town on business.

Miss Elizabeth Huckstepp of Knoxville, Tennessee, will spend the holidays at the home of Mrs. Sallie Parkey.

Mrs. Ike Ginsburg who has been ill at her home is improving.

Mr. F. R. Lear and family left this morning for Paintlick, Kentucky where they will be with relatives during the holidays season.

Death Comes To Joseph H. Walker

The death of Joseph Henry Walker, who for many years has been a prominent business man of this city occurred this morning at the family residence on Eighteenth Street at 11:30

Mr. Walker has been ill for many months, having been confined to the house since last August suffering from a complication of stomach and kidney trouble.

Mr. Walker was born in Claiborne County, Tennessee, nearly 54 years ago, having been 53 years and eleven months of age at the time of his death. He was a prominent member of the First Baptist Church and always identified with all church and civil enterprises. The wife and three children survive.

The arrangements for the funeral have not been completed and will be given later.

High Week In Coal Industry S. W. Virrginia

Week Ending December 13th Banner Week of Year With 20,000 Tons Over Week Previous.

More coal was produced in the Southwest Virginia field during the week ending December 13 than in any other week of the present year, states editor Crawford in Crawford's Weekly published at Norton, Virginia.

"Seventy-five per cent of full time production was mined, the tonnage being 206,547, or about twenty thousand tons more than was produced the previous week."

This latest report shows an output greater than the average weekly production by more than forty thousand tons.

The heaviest tonnage was put out in the Interstate Railroad the production being 78,647. On the Southern there were mined 46,536; on the N. & W., 1,100 tons.

The manufacture of coke fell off last week about fifty tons.

These figures were submitted by E. H. Robinson, statistician for the Virginia Coal Operators Association.

Political Failures Penalized

LONDON, Dec. 23.—(AP).—The British treasury will benefit to the extent of nearly $50,000 because each of 64 candidates at the recent general election failed to secure one eighth of the votes polled in their divisions. The law decrees that where a candidate fails to obtain one-eighth of the votes, he forfeits his deposit of $750.

Community Tree On Wednesday

The Community Christmas committee, under the auspices of the Community Chest, invites the following people to be on hand at the Christmas Festival Wednesday, December 24 at three p. m. corner 20th and Cumberland Avenue where the Christmas tree is located.

These people are urged to get their mail as special tickets inviting them to attend the Christmas tree services have been sent to them. The entire public is also invited without the formalities of tickets. A splendid musical program has been prepared. Mr. J. H. Keeney, mayor of the city has consented to make the address. The distribution of baskets and clothing for the needy will also take place at this service.

Asmus, Ben, East End.
Aslinger, Alice, 36th Street.
Beeler, Dave, Junction.
Bolton, Elmer, Binghamtown
Burchette, Frank, Noetown.
Braden, John, Winchester Ave.
Byrd, Mrs. K., 10th and Cumberland.
Becket, Mrs. H. M., 10th and Chester.
Brown, John, East End.
Condry, Elizabeth, Ellenwood Rd.
Crowe, James, 12th St. & John Hubnle.
Carter, Gillus, Binghamtown.
Carroll, Vince, Binghamtown.
Collins, Mrs. Ella, Junction.
Crutchfield, Jane, 25 Chester.
Duffield, Armanda, Noetown.
Daniels, Geo., Avondale Ave.
Duley, Mathilda, Avondale Ave.
Ellison, Tom, Junction.
Estes, Jennie, Government Pike.
Eastridge, Peggy, Near Beet Junction
Farry, Jane, Brewery Road.
Gillam, Mrs. Ollie, Binghamtown.
Gordon, Boe, Junction.
Hansel, John, Junction.
Hunley, J. L., Junction.
Killiam, Mrs. Hattie, Winona Mines.
Lockhart, H. C., Junction.
Long, Herman, South 22nd St.
Miles, Martha, Shamrock.
Lamb, Ed, Cemetery Hollow.
Murphy, Mrs. M. C., 26th St., close to E. Warren.
Miller, Mrs. Beatrice, Binghamtown.
Malay, Manuel, Junction.
Murray, R. C., Junction.
Majors, Jim, 102 Ellenwood Rd.
Morrison, M., 6th Street
Mulwee, Ballard, Amesbury Ave
Manaway, Tom, Near East End School.
Noonchester, Anna, On the Y.
Noe, Everette, Binghamtown.
Poor, Tinney, Junction.
Pike, Mossie, Winchester Ave.
Parton, Joe, Junction.
Rains, Pres, Noetown.
Rowlett, Albert, Avondale Ave near 10th.
Riggs, Mary Lee, Amesbury Ave.
Rains, John, Brewery Road.
Smith, Uncle Ben, Road to Edgewood.
Smith, Mary, Junction.
Scrouls, Lizzie, East End.
Sutton, Ollie, 125 15th St.
Salyers, Lizzie, 20 to 21st St.
Thomas, Bert, Junction.
Taylor, C. L. 33rd and Edgewood Road.
Turner, W. D., Edgewood.
Williams, Eva, Binghamtown.
Warren, Fred, S. 25th Street on Exeter.
Watson, W. C., Junction.
Williams, Mrs. Wm. East 6th St
Fletcher, Henry, City.
Payne, Frank, City.
Sanders, Chas., City.
Douglas, Doc, Shamrock.
Dunn, Lizzie, Shamrock.
Holt, Maggie, 22nd St.
D. C. Goin, Slagtown.
Mathis, J., 21st Street.
Langfort, Sterl. 21st Street.
Williams, F. F., 21st Street, Ruth's Store.
England, Mrs., Old Brewery Broading House.
Russel Jenning, 107 14th Street.
Brosheer, Mrs., East End.
Renfro, Thomas, East End.
Williams, Frank, East End.
Laslay, Mrs. Nan, Shamrock, Ky.
Hollingsworth, Floyd, Foot of Mt. Dixie Highway.
Vance, George, 14th Street.
Bales, Steve, 14th Street.
Inman, Bise, 204 Ellenwood Road
Duncan, Addie, Davis Branch.
Evans, Rosa, East End.
York and family, Tannery.
Beeler, Jack, 401 20th Street.
Bunden, Emily, 309 Rochester.
Luckadoo, Mrs., Fernlake.

Cranberry Jelly

Simmer one quart of cranberries and half a cup of water in a covered saucepan, until each cranberry bursts. Strain through a Hunter's sifter, put back on stove and heat to boiling point, after measuring. Add equal quantity of sugar and a little lemon juice after removing from stove. Stir until dissolved, and pour into moulds. Never use over-ripe cranberries.

Xmas Committee Needs More Funds

Last Appeal Is Being Made To Every One To Give; Every Penny Will Help.

The purchasing committee of the Community Christmas Tree after taking care of 126 children find that there are still 36 more to be taken care of and the funds already used up.

The Community Christmas Tree Committee is making this last final appeal for $100.00. This is an urgent appeal. There are 26 families in desperate need and unprovided for. The Community Tree is taking car of 86 families, all investigated. This represents about 400 children. So far the purchasing committee has bought a new pair of shoes for each needy child and a pair of stocking—this is their great need. The committee has taken upon itself to go into debt to the extent of $100.00 so that these can be supplied knowing that the people of Middlesboro will realize the work being done and the imperative need and will be generous in this last hour. The need is very great nothing but the necessities of life are being supplied—shoes, stockings, underwear and food. Many pathetic cases have turned up which need immediate relief. Will not you give yours now., we ask for every donation, dimes, quarters, half-dollars, dollars, send them in. Come in and see the work being done.

Send your contribution to the Daily News or August Fischer, Playground Director.

Phone Companies Given New Head

Operations of the Southern Group To Be Under Bickelhaupt, Effective January First

President Ben S. Read has announced the appointment of C. O. Bickelhaupt as Vice-president in charge of operations of the Southern Group of Bell Telephone Companies, comprising the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph company and the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company, taking effect January 1, 1925.

The Southern Bell Company operates in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, and the Carolinas, and the Cumberland in Kentucky, Tennessee, Louisiana and Mississippi, and headquarters of both companies is in Atlanta.

Although one of the youngest operating vice presidents in the Bell System, Mr. Bickelhaupt has had a long and varied experience in the telephone business, and his rapid rise through successive promotions, culminating in his selection as operating head of the Southern Group, has been due to his energy, sound judgment and demonstrated ability.

He served with distinction in the A. E. F., as first lieutenant, later as captain, in the Signal Corps. He was promoted to major during the Meuse-Argonne offensive, and since his discharge from active service has been commissioned lieutenant colonel in the Signal Officers' Reserve Corps.

In the early future it is his intention to visit the various portions of the territory and meet in person the telephone forces and the people they are serving.

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Many High Schools Bar Many Electives

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 23.—(AP)—The principal of a small high school with limited teaching force must realize that it is unwise to provide many electives, especially in advanced subjects, Mark Godman, state supervisor of high schools, today declared at the school superintendent's conference.

"Since this is true," he said, "it becomes exceedingly important to select studies with great care, keeping in mind those subjects that will be of greatest value to the greatest number of students.

"The training of teachers, the demands and needs of the community, and the financial condition of the district should all be considered before giving any study a place in the curriculum. In addition to these considerations must be recognized the entrance requirements of colleges and universities.

"In schools with four, five or six teachers only those courses should be given that will give opportunity for training will be of tangible vocational value to the student when he leaves school.

"Vocational work in our smaller high schools should be designed especially for the majority of pupils who will never receive a schooling beyond the high school. The nature of such training will vary with the type of students and the community to be served."

In general, Kentucky high school will do well to require four years of English, at least until such time as elementary school graduates shall enter high school with more uniformly good training in English, he said.

The study of literature and composition should look chiefly toward the objectives of vocation, leisure and character building, he said. The study of occupations was recommended, "since at least one-half of those who enter the high school leave before graduation."

"The course in occupations is a finding course through which the student discovers his vocation tendencies," he said. "It gives him a knowledge of the common occupations, the problems of each and in addition develops within him a feeling of respect for all work of social value. Such a course should find a place in the ninth year of all small high schools."

Germans Are Adept In Counterfeiting

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—(AP).—Nowhere in the world has counterfeiting of currency reached such perfection as in Germany, in the opinion of Director Helmberger of the German government printing office. The statement was made in connection with an address delivered to correspondents and other guests of the Reichsbank on the occasion of putting into circulation the first of the new 10, 20, 50 and 100 Reichsmark notes.

"The English pound notes," Helmberger observed, "which are usually considered models of banknote workmanship, have been counterfeited in Germany with an accuracy that is nothing short of baffling. With American notes the practice of German forgers has been that of raising notes of lower denomination to higher, and trusting to people's not knowing foreign currency well to accept them at their raised figure."

The unstable conditions which prevailed until a year ago, he believes, are responsible for the high art that has developed in the German forging business. The government therefore used particular care in designing the new Reichsmark, and believes it has evolved a product that cannot be imitated or counterfeited.

Women Legislators Pass On State Laws

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—(AP).—Women in nine of 15 middle-western states in the November election exactly doubled their representation in the lower house of the state legislatures and increased from three to four their membership in the state senate. In two states there were no women legislators in the old or existing membership. A loss of six seats resulted in the four other states, although in three of them there were successful women candidates.

In the legislatures of Illinois, Ohio, Missouri, Wisconsin, Nebraska, South Dakota, Oklahoma, Indiana, Kansas, North Dakota Minnesota and Michigan when they convene after January 1, will be found 32 women representatives and four state senators. Ohio will lead in number with nine—seven in the lower house and two in the upper.

The legislative women in the various states will total as follows:

Illinois: House, three; Senate, one.
Ohio: House, seven; Senate, two.
Texas: None.
Missouri: House, one.
Wisconsin: House, three.
Nebraska: House, three.
Iowa: None.
Kentucky: None.
South Dakota: House, four.
Oklahoma: House, three; Senate, one.
Indiana: House, two.
Kansas: House, one.
North Dakota: House, two.
Minnesota: House, two.
Michigan: House, one.

The only state in which there had been women representation and which was tripped out in the last election was Texas, where the member of the house was defeated in the primary for renomination. The state, however, elected a woman governor.

In Kansas, Missouri and Minnesota, where five losses were sustained, all in the house, the women succeeded in electing one representative in Kansas, where there were three, one in Missouri, where there were two, and two in Minnesota, where there were four.

French Place Small Value On Titles

PARIS, Dec. 23.—(AP)—Nobility will be obliged to pay the state heavily for its pride, if a Socialist faction in parliament has its way. If not, some extremists say titles in France may be abolished entirely.

The Socialists propose the following scale: To use a hyphenated name, 500 francs a year; to use the "de" that denotes noble origin, 1.00 francs; to write oneself down a knight will cost 2.00 francs; barons will have to pay 5,000; a viscount 10,000; count 20,000; marquis, 30,000; dukes from 50,000 to 200,000; and princes from 100,000 to 250,000.

The government thus far refuses to adopt this proposition, but has prepared a law abolishing the use of titles altogether.

Meantime the holders of titles are not particularly alarmed, for they recall that unsuccessful efforts to abolish titles were made in 1882, 1885, 1902 and 1906.

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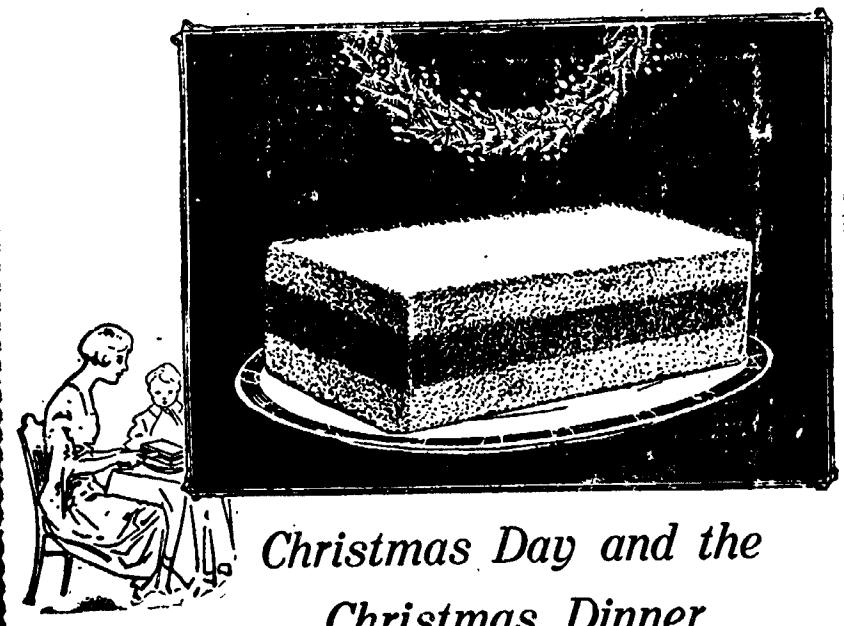

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